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LABOR ALERT

Subject: Worker Agreements

This notice is to explain how the Worker Agreements apply to employers who hire and recruit migrant workers for both hoeing and picking.

A single employer who recruits migrants to do hoeing and picking of cucumbers shall issue a single worker agreement. The worker agreement must show the applicable wage rate for each activity, if different.

In addition, if workers are paid on a piece work basis, a piece rate schedule of cucumber sizes and prices must be attached to the Worker Agreement.

Sec. 103.915(B) of the Migrant Law requires employers to guarantee a minimum of 45 hours of work in a 2-week period. Migrants who are hired and recruited for both hoeing and picking shall be guaranteed the minimum number of hours required by law from the beginning of the hoeing season until the end of the picking season.

Inquires may be directed to Mateo Cadena, Director of Bureau of Migrant Services at 608-266-0002.